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LYMPHATIC DISORDERS INVOLVING  
THE FLT4 RECEPTOR TYROSINE  
KINASE (VEGFR-3)

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**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (IDS)**

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the references listed on the attached PTO-1449. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom. It is submitted that the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is in compliance with 37 CFR 1.98 and the Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the listed references.

Copies of the documents identified on the enclosed PTO-1449 form are enclosed, except for copies of the U.S. patent documents, which are not enclosed pursuant to the Office's waiver of the requirement of 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2)(i) for patent applications filed after June 30, 2003.

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(g), the filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement shall not be construed to mean that a search has been made

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This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits as far as is known to the undersigned (37 CFR 1.97(b)(3)). Accordingly, no fees are believed to be due.

However, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith to our Deposit Account No. 13-2855, under Order No. 28967/35255B. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

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